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**Subject:** FW: Updated Council Session programs  
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Dear GSC,

As I just mentioned to Luis over the phone, although the new roundtable format for the public session is very interesting, I feel compelled to bring up the fact that the Council Rules of Procedures that have been in place since the inception of the CEC provide specific guidance regarding Council public sessions in terms of active public participation. I have attached the Council Rules of Procedures for your perusal.

As you will note, in the spirit of Rule 6 is contained the idea of giving a voice to the public and having them participate actively during the Council's public sessions. As you know, public participation is one of the unique features of the CEC, and it has been crystalized through these public sessions in past years.

I leave this for your consideration, but there might still be an opportunity to adjust the program (for example, take a few pre-screened questions from the audience and online) to still fulfill that mandate in some form or fashion.

I hope this is helpful.

Regards,

Nathalie

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**Subject:** Updated Council Session programs

Hi Everyone,

Following up on the Alt Reps call, attached is an update program:

- Added Session theme at the top to make it easier for folks to connect the events to the theme
- Added attachment listing the organizations involved in the National Weather Center so Canada and Mexico can start exploring opportunities to bring counterparts and explore partnerships/announcements (or we can set up a conversation to go over these)
- We are consulting internally on PR/social media approach for our next conversation

Saludos,

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